

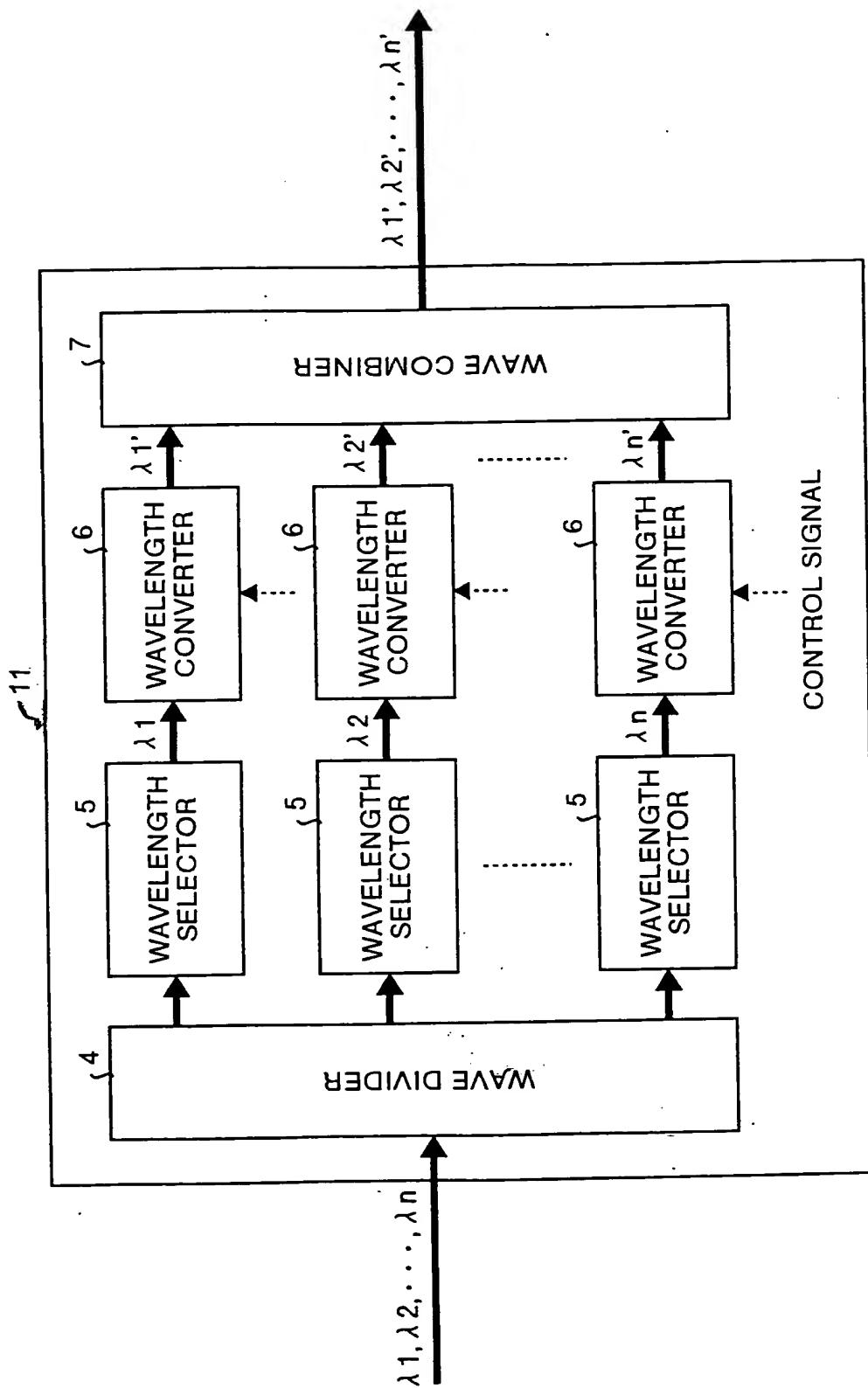
AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS

Attached hereto are 2 sheets of corrected drawings that comply with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.84. The corrected formal drawings incorporate the following changes:

- In Figure 4, the optical repeater has been renumbered to be "11" to be consistent with the specification (see e.g. page 4, line 16 of the specification); and
- In Figure 9, the wavelength converting element has been renumbered from "11" to "105" to avoid repetition of element numbering - the optical repeater of Figure 4 is numbered as "11". Note that the specification has been amended accordingly to be consistent with the new number.

Applicants respectfully requests that the corrected formal drawings be approved and made a part of the record of the above-identified application.

FIG. 4



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FIG. 9

